



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 9620  
Masanobu NOGOME et al. : Docket No. 2003-1075A  
Serial No. 10/630,900 : Group Art Unit 2818  
Filed July 31, 2003 : Examiner Mai-Huong Tran  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND : COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF : TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

*Responsive to the Office Action of August 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.*